	Kasson Township Board of Review 2022 Organizational Meeting Tuesday, March 8, 2022	
	MINUTES	
1	Chairperson Schaeffer called the meeting to order at 3:00 PM.	CALL TO ORDER
2	MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairperson Schaeffer, Member Shimek, Member Witham, Supervisor Julian (ex-officio Board Secretary), Assessor Krombeen. MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC PRESENT: None.	ROLL CALL
3	Schaeffer brought the Tentative Agenda to the floor for approval. Julien asked for an item "8G, Board Member Training Records," to be added to the agenda. The updated agenda was approved, as submitted, by consensus. CARRIED	AGENDA AGENDA APPROVED
4	A correction was made to add "Julien absent. (Excused)". Moved by: Witham, seconded by: Shimek to approve the minutes of December 14, 2021, as amended. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Shimek, Witham, Schaeffer CARRIED	MINUTES DECEMBER 14, 2021 MINUTES APPROVED
5	A copy of the Notice to the Public for this meeting was presented to the Board, and directed to be made part of the record. No action required. See Attachment "A" to these minutes. Also the income limits for those applying for Poverty Exemptions (approved by the Township Board 2/8/22) was circulated. See Attachment "B" to these minutes.	NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC AND POVERTY EXEMPTION INCOME LIMITS

6	None. No members of the public appeared before the Board.	PUBLIC COMMENT AND QUESTIONS
7	None.	UNFINISHED BUSINESS
8		NEW BUSINESS
8A	Moved by: Shimek, seconded by: Witham to appoint Chuck Schaeffer as Chairman for 2022. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Shimek, Witham, Schaeffer CARRIED Moved by: Shimek, seconded by: Schaeffer to appoint Dick Witham as Vice-Chairman for 2022, Roll Call Vote:	ELECTION OF 2022 OFFICERS
	Ayes: Shimek, Witham, Schaeffer CARRIED	
8B	 2022 Meeting Schedule Tuesday, March 8, 2022, 9 AM. (Tues. After First Mon.) Monday March 14, 2022, 9-AM to 3 PM (Second Mon.) Wednesday March 16, 2022, 3 PM to 9 PM (Tues. or Weds. After Second Mon.) Tuesday July 19, 2022, 9 AM. (Tues. After Third Mon.) Tuesday, December 13, 2022, 9 AM. (Tues. After Second Mon.) 	AFFIRMATION OF DATES AND TIMES FOR 2022 MEETINGS
	Dates approved without objection. CARRIED	DATES APPROVED
8C	Assessor's Comments on 2021 Assessment Roll: None.	RECEIVE THE 2022 ASSESSMENT ROLL FROM ASSESSOR

8D	Board's Comments: None, and no corrections suggested.	EXAMINATION OF THE ROLL BY BOARD, AND SUPERVISOR QUESTIONS, AND NECESSARY CORRECTIONS
8E	After the Board and Supervisor reviewed the roll it was: Moved by: Shimek, seconded by: Witham to approve the 2022 Kasson Township Assessment Roll as presented by the	APPROVAL OF THE ROLL
	Assessor. Ayes: Shimek, Witham, Schaeffer CARRIED	ROLL APPROVED
8F	Schaeffer reported that because of a change in State law, partial poverty exemptions could now be granted by governmental units, if approved. He gave the example that this year a family of 2 can make up to \$17,420 per year and receive a 100% exemption. Our board could (hypothetically) adopt a policy where the family could make \$17,421 to \$20,000 and receive a 50% exemption (or	PARTIAL POVERTY EXEMPTIONS
	whatever income level and percentage the governmental unit desired).	NO ACTION. REMOVE FROM FUTURE OLD
	After discussion, the consensus of the Board was to take no action at this time, and remove the item from future meetings.	BUSINESS

8G	Historically, Board Member Training was provided to new Board Members. However, after that there was no policy of the Board, or requirement by the State Tax Commission for any subsequent training of Members	BOARD MEMBER TRAINING RECORDS
	Recently, the regulations have changed, requiring members to be trained once at least every two years. However the Commission recommends annual training, in order to keep up with new changes.	
	Therefore as we move forward, Board Members must submit their certificate of completion, each time they are trained, to the Board of Review for filing in the board's records. Copies of the certificates will be filed with the tax roll for the year in which the training is completed. Annually, the Township Board will be provided with a brief report of training.	NO ACTION UNTIL UPDATED BY-LAWS ARE AVAILABLE
	Specifics of these new (local) requirements will be specified in an update to the Board of Review By Laws.	
	The BOR members agreed that this item be tabled until the updated By-Laws can be drafted and presented for approval.	
9	None. No members of the public appeared before the Board.	COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC
10	Supervisor Julian thanked the Board of Review members for their personal expertise and dedication to serving the taxpayers of Kasson Township. He also complimented the Township Assessor, Julie Krombeen for her talents and professionalism	GENERAL COMMENTS BY BOARD AND SUPERVISOR
11	Monday, March 14, 2022,9:00 AM - 3:00 PM (No lunch break - BYO)	NEXT MEETING
12	Moved by Shimek, seconded by Witham to adjourn the meeting.	ADJOURNMENT
	AYES: All CARRIED	
	The meeting was adjourned at 4:35 PM.	

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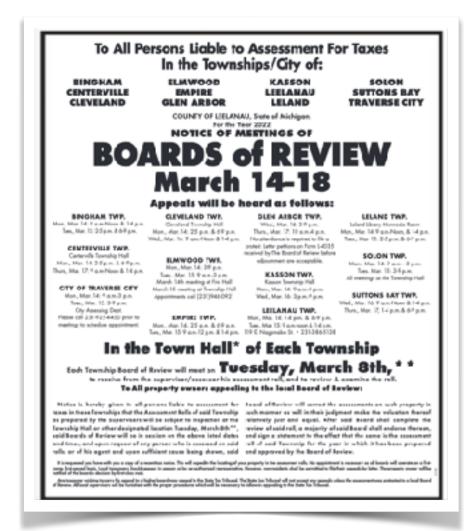
Board Chair

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Board Secretary

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ATTACHMENT "A" - NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC



Published Public Notice -

Leelanau Enterprise,

February 24, 2022, Section 1, Page 13

and March 3. 2022, Section 1, Page 11

ATTACHMENT "B" - FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL GUIDELINES (2021)

2021 Poverty Guidelines for the 48 Contiguous
States and the District of Columbia

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Persons in Poverty

Poverty Income Levels. approved by Township Board, February 8, 2022

Persons in family/household	Poverty guideline
1	\$12,880
2	17,420
3	21,960
4	26,500
5	31,040
6	35,580
7	40,120
8	44,660

ATTACHMENT "C" - SECRETARY'S ORIGINAL HAND-WRITTEN MINUTES

Kasson Township Board of Review March 8, 2022, 3:00 PM Agenda

	1. Call to O	rder ³ 24*
-	2. Roll Call:	Julian, Krombeen Schaeffer, Shimek, Witham
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-	4. Approva	of Minutes - December 14, 2021 [*] Add 6. In In Chicago Cusca Illnes
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	8. New Bus	siness Chr. Schacker
	A. Elect	ion of Officers-2022
	B. Affirm	nation of Dates and Times for 2022 Meetings [#] In The December of Qam
•	C. Rece	ive the 2022 Assessment Roll and related reports from Assessor
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1	E. Appr	oval of the Roll M. S. D. W. 3-9 April
	F. Partia	al Poverty Exemptions (A 10 action at this time
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	II. MEXTINE	etings - Monday, March 14, 2022, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM and Wednesday March 16, to 9:00 PM
	(*) at the end	of an item signifies that the item is available on the website, for this meeting,
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